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Public Notice

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This letter serves as the formal notice of the receipt of an application for a Section 401 Water Quality Certification by the Kentucky Division of Mine Permits (KDMP). The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of active applications awaiting certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality as it related to the specific project. DMP will evaluate whether the project complies with Kentucky's water quality standards.

The comment period will run for 30 days, as is indicated in the upper portion of this notice. Any person who wishes to comment or receive information pertaining to the pending WQC application, must contact the WQC coordinator at 502 564-2320, or submit comments to: Water Quality Certification 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort KY 40601, within the 30 day comment period. All comments will be reviewed and water quality issues will be considered during the review process.

The public may review the detailed Compensatory Mitigation Plan at the Division of Mine Permits office at: #2 Hudson Hollow Frankfort, KY 40601

Commonwealth of Kentucky Department for Natural Resources Division of Mine Permits

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Application for Water Quality Certification for Surface Coal Mining Activities

The Clean Water Act Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WQC) program in Kentucky ensures that activities which may involve a discharge into waters of the Commonwealth which require federal permit or license are consistent with Kentucky's water quality standards in 401 KAR Chapter 5. The Energy and Environment Cabinet has authorized the Department for Natural Resources to issue water quality certifications related to surface coal mining operations. The project may not start until all necessary approvals are obtained. For questions concerning the WQC process, contact the WQC Coordinator at (502)-564-2320.

	Mailing Address: P.O. BOX 2323 London, KY 40741				
	Contact Person: Stephen Hamilton				
	Telephone No: (606) 878-1500				
	E Mail Address:				
2.	Consultant Name & Address: BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS CONSULTANTS, INC.				
	Telephone No. (859) 263-4142				
	E Mail Address: j@biologicalsystemsconsultants.com				
3.	Provide a brief description of the proposed activity and stream impact. FOUR HOLLOW-FILLS FOR EXCESS SPOIL, ONE MINE AREA, FOUR EMBANKMENT PONDS FOR SURFACE RUNOFF				
4.	Project Location Information:				
	CountyKnox; USGS Quadrangle Name _Pineville				
201	Nearest Community & Road Intersection: Ivy Grove; Near junction KY. 4 and Ivy Grove Road				
Lo	ngitude -83-43-25.6970 . Latitude 36-49-32.3016 (Approximate center of the project area)				
5. SIII	List the names of all streams affected by the proposed project: UT1-Formile Creek, UT2-Fourmile Creek, UT3 Fourmile Creek, UT4 Moore Creek				
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	For each affected watershed provide the acreage above the toe of the lowest permanent structure.
	UT1 - HFA - 119 ac UT2 - HFB - 82 ac, UT3 - HFC - 32 ac UT3 - HFD - 50 ac
7.	For each affected stream and days
	For each affected stream provide the linear feet of impact, whether the impact is temporary or permanent and indicate if the stream reach is classified as ephemeral, intermittent, or perennial.
	UT1 – 830, TEMPORARY, INTERMITTENT; 1, 080 PERMANENT, INTERMITTENT UT2 – 221, TEMPORARY, INTERMITTENT; 527, PERMANENT, INTERMITTENT UT3 - 300, TEMPORARY, INTERMITTENT, 330 PERMANENT, INTERMITTENT UT4 – 350, TEMPORARY, INTERMITTENT, 419, PERMANENT, INTERMITTENT
8.	Provide the acreage of wetlands that would be impacted:N/A
9.	Beginning at the nearest intersection of two public roads, provide directions to the project site:
	0.5 MILES WEST OF INTERSECTION OF KY 2014 AND IVY GROVE ROAD
	NW 12 NW 14 NW 21 NW 27 NW 49 _X_
SMCR 11.	e the following permit numbers associated with this mining activity: A Permit No. 861-0500_, KPDES No. KY0107476
12.	The following attachments must be provided:
	a. A watershed map showing all ponds and hollowfills to scale with all intermittent, and perennial stream reaches clearly identified. b. A 7.5 minute topographic map delineating the proposed project area. c. A copy of the complete Compensatory Mitigation Plan
List all	other plans and profiles included with this application:

Applicant's Signatu	11 11		
If signed by applica	ant's agent, attach power of attorney	, Date:	
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